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an agreement was reached between USIA (Administration Soviet Property in Austria) and Cyril Donchev, representative of the Bulgarian Trade Ministry in Vienna, wherein USIA agreed that Bahnbedarf A.G. would nanufacture 1,000 sets of wheels and axles for narrow gauge dump cars for letalimport, Sofia. These wheels and axles are to be delivered within four months. Donchev agreed to pay 400,000 schillings for the wheels and axlen, 20% of which are to be raid in cash in advance. The remaining 320,000 schillings are to be paid upon delivery of the goods to the Soviet transport commany, Juschwaeschtrans, for shipment.

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Convent: It was not known to source whether this contract is instuded in the official hustro-Bulgarian trade agreement, but the fact that no representative of the Austrian Government was present during the centract negotiations, may indicate that this is an extra-legal transaction between USIA and Bulgaria.

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